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STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	1,060	1,077	912	1,011
ACREAGE	550,407	554,729	518,907	505,597
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	519	515	569	500
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	70	60	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$) LAND & BUILDINGS MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	1,531,470	1,420,403	1,168,406	935,878
	135,930	126,020	109,766	98,664
CROPLAND (ACRES) TOTAL HARVESTED IRRIGATED	370,844	380,700	365,208	376,279
	315,336	324,291	286,085	277,071
	298,670	294,021	234,112	232,912
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000) AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	315,462 297,605	349,212 324,246	234,173 256,769	177,911 175,975
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM AVERAGE (\$)	48,204	91,404	34,617	33,935
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY) CATTLE & CALVES BEEF COWS MILK COWS HOGS & PIGS SHEEP & LAMBS LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER) BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	16,909	18,963	22,003	15,709
	6,773	7,224	D	D
	2,012	702	D	D
	963	1,413	2,066	2,956
	17,113	22,850	34,462	24,052
	714	740	1,703	3,190
	65	D	D	D
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES) CORN, GRAIN OR SEED CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED WHEAT BARLEY OATS RICE SUNFLOWER SEED COTTON TOBACCO SOYBEANS DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR PEANUTS FOR NUTS FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	19,628 1,115 N 35,413 4,409 324 31,875 6,332 3,996 N N 2,037 27 N N N 83,691	N N N 50,626 725 N 26,332 N 4,057 N N N N N	N N N 63,431 4,282 N 25,423 N 0 N N N N N N	N N N 61,771 6,478 N 23,207 N 0 N N N N N N

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STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

	2002	1997	1992	1987
VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	132	154	132	149
ACREAGE	54,700	68,789	58,695	48,581
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ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	402	367	405
ACREAGE	42,397	32,064	23,752	21,545
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	689	521	536	577
NON-FARMING	371	290	300	330
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	263	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	24.81%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	7,117	5,774	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	27,060	19,182	N/A	N/A

^{1/} AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

^{0 -} REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN